and-second-st.

INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Gurnec, of No. 8 East Thirty-third-st., last night gave a dance in honor of their twin daughters, Miss Bell B. Gurnee and Miss Lucy B. Gurnee. There was a profusion of flowers in the various rooms and large hallway, and a very choice decoration of American Beauty roses, lilles of the valley and palms in the drawing-room, where Mrs. Gurnee, in a beautiful gown of white satin, and her daughters, attired alike in yellow satin, re-ceived the guests, who numbered less than 150. Informal dancing was enjoyed until midnight, when supper was served. The small tables were set in the dining-room and billiard-room, which is a large square room, just off the dining-room. After supper the cotillon was danced, J. Frederic Tams leading, with Miss Belle B. Gurnee as his partner. There were about forty couples in the dance. The favors were ribbons and sashes, and corsage bouquets of natural flowers for the women, and for the men there were fancy gilt frames, ribbons and

Mrs. Ernest Hamilton Peck gave a pleasant coming-out reception yesterday afternoon for her daughter, Miss Louise Gordon Peck, at the home of other, Mrs. Thomas Morrell, No. 572 Fifthave. The debutante, who wore a gown of white mousseline de sole, was assisted in receiving by her nother, whose gown was of black velvet, and Miss Josephine Roe, Miss Martha Jacob, Mrs. France Gregory, Miss May Low, Miss Edith Bell and Miss Johnson. The reception was followed by a dinner for the debutante and the young people who received with her. There were no men at the table, which was decked with American Beauty roses.

A pleasant incident in society last night was the "ten o'clock" given by Archie Crawford, the English barytone, in Muller-Ury's studio in the Sher-wood, in West Fifty-seventh-st. There was music by the Hungarian band, some piano solos by Howd Brockway, several selections by Miss Julie youthful skirt dancer and a generous selection of songs by Mr. Crawford, whose beautiful voice was heard to excellent advantage. A buffet supper followed the concert. Some of the guests in-vited were Mrs. William Astor, Mr. and Mrs. Orme Wilson, Mrs. Nicholas Fish, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, Mr. and Mrs. John Sloane, Miss evans, Mrs. George Kidd, Miss Georgette Kidd, Mrs. John C. Westervelt, Miss Borrowe, Chauncey M. Depew, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Flagler, Mrs. Grenville Winthrop, Mrs. Van Cortlandt Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. James Abercrombie Burden, Mrs. Calvin S. Brice, the Misses Brice, Mrs. A. Cass Canfield, Miss Furniss, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lyon Gardiner, John Furman, G. Creighton Webb, Mrs. Brayton Ives, Miss Ives, Miss Mary Vanderpoel, Colonel and Mrs. Clermont L. Best, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barclay, Miss Best, Mrs. Jordan L. Mott, Mrs. J. Muhlenburg Bailey, John E. Parsons, Miss Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Kernochan, the Rev. Braddin Hamilton, Baron Ketteler, of the German Embassy; John Targee Sill, Albert E. Twyford, Josephius Jenkins Lee, Isaac Iselin, Count Sierstorpff, Mrs. J. Tallmadge Van Rensselaer, J. Fred Pierson, Jr., and George P. Messeroy, of Boston.

Mrs. Charles Inslee Pardee, of No. 6 East Fortythird-st., gave a reception yesterday afternoon, at her home, for her niece, Miss Gourand, a daughter of Colonel Gourand, of London, England. Miss Snow, a sister of the hostess, assisted in receiving the guests. M. Depew, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Flagler, Mrs. Gren-

Snow, a sister of the hostess, assisted in receiving the guests.

The first of the series of subscription dances under the auspices of St. Mary's alumnae, took place last night at the Majestic. The committee in charge included Miss Helen Van Wyck, Miss Helen Sands, Miss Clarita Hall, Miss Anna Quirsfeld and Miss Jennie Lee.

Miss Elizabeth C. Blydenburgh, a daughter of the late William Judson Blydenburgh, of this city, will be married to Edward Winslow Packard at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest. There will be no reception.

The marriage of Miss Juliette Marguerite de Neufville, to J. Langdon Schroeder, will take place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. de Neufville, No. 36 West Thirty-seventh-st.

eventh-st. Miss A Emilie Hilyard will be married to Samuel tokes Thornton, at noon to-day, at the home of her arents. The Rev. E. Walpole Warren, rector of he Church of the Holy Trinity, will perform the

wedding of Miss Lena May Carter, daughter, and Mrs. Robert K. Carter, to Hewitt Co-jr., will be celebrated at 8:30 o'clock this ag in the Madison Avenue Methodist Episco-hurch. A small reception will follow at the of the bride's parents, No. 40 East Seventy-

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Mrs. Lanman Bull will give a tea at her home.
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Miss Lillian Lyon Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and
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Miss Lillian Lyon, Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and
frs. Josiah N. Wilcox, was married to John Fraser
like, jr., last night at the Presbyterian Church,
fort Chester.

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The first meeting of the Tuesday evening dancing class, chaperoned by Mrs. Seth E. Thomas, was held in Dodworth's new bailroom last night. The guests were received by the patronesses, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Rowell, Mrs. Dodd and Mrs. Thoman. Supner was served at midnight by Sherry, and dancing was then resumed and continued until an early hour this morning. Many of the well-known members of the younger set were present, and, although no cotilion was danced, the affair proved a great success. The next meeting will occur on the evening of December 31, when a novelty in the shape of a "New Year cotilion" has been promised.

RECEPTION ON THE NEW-HAMPSHIKE. DRILLING AND DANCING FURNISH AN EVENING

OF PLEASURE. The 1st Naval Battalion held a drill and reception last night on board the training-ship New-Hamp-

ast night on board the training-snip New-Hamp-shire, at East Twenty-eighth-st. Orders had been issued for a drill of the four divisions of the bat-tallon and an inspection by Mayor Strong. The Mayor, however, was unable to attend, and he sent President of the Board of Aldermen John Jeroloman to represent him.

The full battalion of 375 officers and men was

present. There was more than double that number

representative arrived, accompanied by Lieutenants Hodges and Hume, representing the United States Government, and Colonel Herbert L. Satterlee, of Governor Morton's military staff. They were saluted by the Naval Battalion Band. Shortly afterward Captain Fields, of the school-ship St. Mary's, joined the party. Adjutants Weaver and Falls, of the 7th Regiment, were also among the visitors, James De Forest Barton. When the drills began the large bridge on the

spar deck served for a gallery, from which some of the women looked down on the marching. There were also broadsword and sabre contests and other athletic exhibitions. One prize was awarded, a handsome sliver cup, known as the "Duncan cup," the award for rifle supremacy at the Creedmoor range. It was held last year by the First Division of the battailon. It was awarded iast night to the Second Division. President Jeroloman, of the Board of Aldermen, in the Mayor's name presented it to the division.

The battailon was in command of Commander J. W. Miller, with his staff—Leutenant-Commander G. E. Kent, Surgeon H. H. Butts, Navigator Greene and Paymaster John Agar.

There were evolutions by the signal corps, the waving of signal flags and the play of variously colored electric lights. Then there was exercise as infantry aboard ship, with rifle and bayont, and an artillery drill. Then followed the "distant-service" drill, which consisted in one of the divisions making sails, oars and small boats for departure from the ship.

After the drills there was dancing until after midnight. were also broadsword and sabre contests and other

A FOLK-SONG LECTURE BY MR. KREHBIEL. H. E. Krehbiel will read a paper on "Folk-Song in America" to-night, at \$15 o'clock, in the Hotel Waldorf, before the New-York Branch of the American Folk-Lore Society. Miss Marie Van will sing Illustrative songs.

IS POLYGAMY ORTHODOX!

St. Louis, Dec. 10,-Several important opinions were handed down by the United States Court of Appeals at its sitting yesterday. One was that of the Church of Christ, of Independence, Mo., et al., appellants, against the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, appellees. The decision was adverse to the interests of the Reorganized Churchites, as their petition for a rehearing was overruled. This disposes of the case entirely was overruled. This disposes of the case entirely unless they take it to the Supreme Court of the United States. Questions of doctrine, as well as Iaw, were involved in the litigation, and during the trial at Kansas City Judge Phillips's courtroom resembled the meeting place of some ecclesiastical resembled the meeting place of some ecclesiastical resembled the meeting place of some ecclesiastical trines originally promulgated by Joseph Smith, and trines originally promulgated by Joseph Smith, and each accused the other of heresy. The Court was compelled to hear a mass of testimony bearing upon technical points in theology and ecclesiastical practice, and then to wade through thousands of printed pages of depositions. The orthodoxy of polygamy, among other things, was argued at great length, and an elaborate attempt was made to show that such institution was never authorized by the founders of Mormonism.

FROM THE BENCH RATHER THAN THE BAR

From The Buffalo Commercial.

In reference to the Peckham appointment, the opinion seems to be quite general that the President did well in selecting a judge rather than a practising attorney. Most of the leading lawyers of the day are now in the service of great corporations, who pay them princely salaries, compared which which the compensation of a Justice of the United States Supreme Court is very small; hence the great lawyers, as a rule, do not aspire to judicial honors. But with judges already in service in the State or Federal courts the case is different. It is worthy of note that in the Supreme Court, it is worthy of note that in the Supreme Court, as at present constituted, six of the nine members were judges previous to their promotion. President Cleveland may not have made a precedent in the latest appointment, but it will doubtless be a safe rule for future Presidents in filling vacancies to go to the bench instead of the bar for available materials. From The Buffalo Commercial.

ALPHA DELTA PHI CLUB BLE TION.

FOUR GOVERNORS CHOSEN-THIS IS LADIES'

The annual meeting of the members of the Alpha Delta Phi Club was held at the club house, No. 35 West Thirty-third-st. last night to elect four members of the Board of Governors to serve for three years, until December, 1898. The names submitted by the nominating committee for the approval of the club were Charles E. Sprague, A. Fillmore Hyde, H. Oakey Hall and Roscoe C. E. Brown. They were all unanimously elected.

Besides the election of the new members of the Board, the reports of the various committees were read. One interesting and welcome fact to the members of the club that was evident from the creased since the last meeting. There are now about 375 names on the membership roll of the club. The meeting was presided over by Judge E. C. Patterson, and was followed by an informal

The interest in the Artists' Loan Exhibition has in no way subsided. The paintings are still bring-ing large numbers of Alpha Delta Phi men to the club house. An unusually large number of pictures were secured this year and there are many favorites

among them.

To-day is Ladies' Day at the club house and between 2 and 6 this afternoon the rooms where the paintings are hung will be througed with the friends and relatives of the members who were fortunate enough to receive tickets. The house has been handsomely decorated for the occasion and the ladies will see it at its best. There are not many more chances to see the pictures as to-morrow is the last day of the exhibition.

NEW . PAINTINGS AND OLD CERAMICS.

AMERICAN ART AT THE ALPHA DELTA PHI CLUE. To-day is ladies' day at the house of the Alpha Delta Phi Club. The Art Committee has prepared its sixth annual exhibition, and the walls are adorned with some three score paintings by American artists. The show is evenly good in quality, but it comprehends seven or eight night scenes which would alone have made the walls attractive. In fact, they form a group so conspicuous and so admirable that some wonder is felt as to whether the committee did not intend to make a series of moonlight studies the special feature of the occasion. Intentionally or not, a very impressive little gathering has been made of productions which aim at some of the loveliest and most difficult effects of nature, the effects of late evening or midnight Of the men in the present exhibition who have busied themselves with these effects very nearly al have dealt justly and effectively with both sides of subtlety with simplicity in the little "Moonlight" of Mr. Alexander Schilling, in the "Moonlit Fields" of Mr. Leonard Ochtman and in "The Homestead" of Mr. Bruce Crane, three pictures which possess extraordinary charm in their veracity, their tender sen timent and their exact expression of the poetic the stars or by the clouded moon. In Mr. Minor's "Midnight" and in Mr. Blakelock's "Moonlight" there is hinted an enthusiasm for subtlety, warmer, perhaps, than that which the painters possess for simplicity; but they, too, are remarkably true in feeling, deliberately picturesque and poetic but of giving their work the note of immediate contact with outdoor life as well as the beauty of colorist's dream. Mr. Coffin shows a strong feeling a dream picture. It is broad, direct, vivid, a study which in its high-keyed force provides just the element needed in the concert of minor, soper-delicate tones made up among the other pictures of

The night scenes dismissed, there remain in this subjects to be noted. Among the latter the most Farge, Mr. Fowler and Miss Sherwood. The first of these has a delightful little study of a "Sea Witch," and from Mr. La Farge's masterly hand there comes one of his always fascinating South Sea studies, an interior with picturesque figures. An open-air picture of a woman with bare shoulders shows that Mr. Wiles can have breadth and visor in his work sometimes, using them to admirable effect, and Miss Sherwood's painting of children blowing bubbles is noticeable for clever drawing and bright color. Mr. Fowler's little set of three panels is the first sketch for a large decoration. It shows a pretty taste in decorative design, and the work is briskly, cleverly done. Of the landscapes the most satisfactory, with those we have already mentioned, are by Mr. Sartain, who sends a beautifully painted little winter scene; Mr. Shurtleff, Mr. Van Elten, Mr. Tryon and Mr. Curran, Mr. Shurtleff's forest studies are finely done in their reproduction of the tangle and the elusive light of the woods; there is deep and lovely atmospheric quality in Mr. Tryon's "December," and the tiny view of "Lake Erie," by Mr. Curran, reveals a freedom of touch which is more than welcome in his usually over-polished art. Altogether, the Club has made a pretty show for its annual ladies' cay. these has a delightful little study of a 'Sea Witch,' ANTIQUES AT THE FIFTH AVENUE ART

GALLERIES At the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries there will be begun this afternoon a sale of antique iridescent glass from Greece, Syria and Italy, in which the most fastidious of collectors must be interested To-morrow, at the same place, there will be sold rare Chinese porcelains, and on Friday the sale rare Chinese porcelains, and on Friday the sale will be concluded, disposing of various pieces of old pottery and of jade and agate carvings. The catalogues show a total of some 500 numbers, but the collections are uniformly good. Beauty of form you get in these old treasures of glass and porcelain. Beauty of color, also, transcendent beauty of a sort which makes the various things to which alluston has been made invaluable as decorative objects. They are also, in many cases, calculated to be of positive service. The vases are often adapted to use as receptacles for flowers, and as rose jars the old productions of the Oriental potters are among the most beautiful in the world. The present sale has an uncommonly apposite character; it

TO GIVE A MILITARY RECEPTION.

THE STAFF OF GOVERNOR MORTON TO ACKNOWL-

EDGE COURTESIES BY OTHER OFFICERS. The military staff of Governor Morton, in ac knowledgment of many courtesies extended to them, will give for all the officers of the National Guard and Naval Militia of the State a military reception, at which Governor Morton, as Commander-in-Chief,

will be present.

The reception will take place at the Hotel Savoy The reception will take place at the Hotel Savoy on Saturday evening, December 21, from 9:39 to 12 o'clock, and will be confined exclusively to the officers now in the service of the State, who will appear in full dress uniform. The only invited guests will be the commanding officers of the United States Army and Navy in this State and their respective staffs. There will be no toasts nor speeches. The invitations will go out this week. The committee in charge is composed of Generals Garrell and Varnum and Colonel Astor.

FOUR OF HER CREW LOST.

Boston, Dec. 10.-The fishing schooner Ethel Maud, of Boston, which came in from Georges to-day, reports that four of the crew were lost on the trip. They were Michael Marr, of Lynn, Mass.; Peter Donnelly, his dory-mate, of Boston; John McDon-Donnelly, his dory-mate, of Boston; John McDonald, of Prince Edward Island, and a man whose name is unknown, but who was known as "English Jack." The crew of sixteen men were out in dories, two in each boat, hauling trawls last Thursday, when a snow squall sprang up, developing into a fierce gale and kicking up a terrible sea. Six of the boats with great difficulty managed to reach the schooner, but the other two dories, containing the four men mentioned, were not seen again. Marr and Donnely may have been picked up by another fishing vessel, which was lying close by when the storm sprang up.

NOTES OF THE STAGE.

Henry Irving, Miss Agnes Ethel and Mrs. Barney Williams are purchasers of boxes for the Actors' Fund Benefit on Friday at the Broadway Theatre. The dramatic features of that performance will I contributed by Mr. Irving, Miss Terry, Miss Olga Nethersole and the Empire Theatre Company. Comedy features and special acts will be given by John Drew and Miss Maud Adams, Miss Elialine Terriss, Fritz Williams, Miss Elita Proctor Otis, Miss Mabel Love, John Le Hay and the quartet from "His Excellency."

Two hundred members of the Commercial Travellers' Club attended Nell Burgess's performance of "The County Fair" at the Star Theatre last night.
To-morrow evening there will be another large party of members of Mecca Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

The first performance of "A Stag Party" at the Garden Theatre will occur next Tuesday, instead of on Monday, as formerly announced.

Arrangements are going on for the benefit to Birch, at Tony Pastor's Theatre, on Sunday evening, December 22. As was announced a few days ago, he has been stricken with paralysis and is now in a precarious condition and without means. Contributions are solicited, and may be addressed to Harry S. Sanderson, business manager of Tony and the Theatre.

NO PLACE FOR HERR AHLWARDT. From The Washington Post.

From The Washington Post.

Herr Ahlwardt should bear in mind the fact that, with a few slight exceptions, with which his mission has nothing whatever to do, this country is conducted in a manner highly satisfactory to the people who reside in it. At any rate, we have no use for men who make a specialty of stirring up race prejudice. Ahlwardt should embrace an early opportunity to go home,

SELECTIONS FROM THE MAIL. WILLIAM F. FOSTER'S WILL.

ENGLISH ESTEEM FOR CLEVELAND.

To the Editor of The Tribune. p ominent Worth-st. commission-house, has just a jurned from a business trip to England, and tells the following story illustrative of the esteem in which President Cleveland is held by British manufacturers. While the New-England woollen mills of our own country are running half-time, and in many cases shut down altogether for lack of profitable orders, my friend found the factories "across the pond" going full blast—in fact, working overtime—largely on goods for the American market. During the course of a conversation the New-Yorker asked a group of representative manufacturers what they thought of President Cleveland and the Democratic party's policy. "We regard it very highly," said they, "Why shouldn't we? As to Mr. Cleveland, we think him one of the very ablest statesmen of the day, indeed, in our opinion, he is second only to the immortal Pitt."

The full significance of this latter comparison was only understood by my friend when, on going through Westminster Abbey a day or two later, he saw the tomb of the great Premier. Carved on a beautiful marble slab marking the spot was this inscription:
"Sacred to the Memory of William Pitt, Who Did More for the Prosperity of England than Any Man That Ever Lived." Verbum sap.
New-York, Dec. 9, 1855.

H. A. VAN S. and in many cases shut down altogether for lack

MR. PLATTS AMBITION.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: There begins to be talk in the newspapers now about what has long been an open secret, viz., that every movement of Thomas C. Platt for years past has been shaped by his ambition to rehabili-tate himself by getting into office again. He realizes now that to return to the Senate, out of which he flopped in so undignified a way, and with such a ludierous miscalculation of his own importance, as compared with that of either the State of New-York or of the President of the United States, would not serve his purpose. The one place he wants is Secretary of the Treasury.

gain for this place with several candidates for the Presidency in return for his support. In more than one nominating convention he has demanded a pledge of this office as the price of the New-York delegation's votes. After the nominations have been made, in one or more Presidential campaigns his attitude toward the Presidential candidate of his party has been practically the same: "Promise me the Secretaryship of the Treasury, or the Machine will defeat you in New-York.'

The newspapers now allude to this ambition very often, and rather cynically. But it does not seem to have occurred to any of them to consider what Mr. Platt's qualifications are.
In our present financial condition, to be Secretary

of the Treasury means to be the most important officer in the United States, and one of the most important officers in the world. It demands not merely the highest business qualifications, the widest knowledge of finance and the most unquestioned integrity and disinterestedness of purpose, but it demands also such a public reputation for these qualities as shall command public confidence at the outset.

Now what is there in Mr. Platt's business career to create this confidence? Is it his early reas a banker in the interior, which ended, I think, some sort of difficulty? Is it his present mode of conducting the business of the United States Express Company, which can be judged by any-body who takes the trouble to visit the office of the president, and observe how it is devoted chiefly to political caucuses instead of express business, or may be inferred from the quotations of United States Express stocks in the daily stock list, as compared with those of the Adams, American or other express companies? Is it to be inferred from his relation to the East Tennessee Coal and from Company? Is it to be inferred from his past financial condition and success, hanging over and over on the ragged edge? Is there a single business man in New-York, or in the country, no matter what his partisan views, who can look over the man's business record and contemplate with satisfaction the idea that he may be made, and that the great Republican party of New-York may be forced to become the instrument of making him, the arbiter of the business destinies of the United States?

New-York, Dec. 8, 1895. to political caucuses instead of express business,

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: You have struck the right note in your editorial of to-day on "Turkey and the Powers." Can anything be more unworthy of our common humanity than the attitude of the European Powers in letting the Sultan and his subjects torture, murder and outrage multitudes of innocent men, women and children, while they stand by, afraid to interfere, lest one nation should get a little more political advantage than his neighbor? Among individuals we should call such conduct "dastardly cowardice" and "brutal selfishness," Is it anything less when manifested by nations?

New-York, Dec. 5, 1896.

ABUSING OUR FOREIGN MINISTERS. To the Editor of The Tribune.

practice, which has recently come to my knowledge through an authentic source, and which seems to me to demand the reprobation of honorable news-

A correspondent of a New-York journal in London desired important information from a distant capital, and wrote to the United States Minister at that capital to call for it. The Minister obeyed the specific instructions of the State Department, which forbid his responding to such requests. Thereupon he presently received an abusive, if not insulting, letter from the correspondent whose de-mands he had falled to meet, and he has subse-quently been subjected to coarse and unmerited abuse by this correspondent in the columns of

the paper which he represents. Now, a foreign Minister, when on duty at a foreign capital, is like a soldier in the presence of the enemy, and is as much entitled to freedom from a fire in the rear directed by his own countrymen. Most of all, it is cowardly as well as unpatriotic to assail him for obeying the instructions of the State

I inclose my name and address, and beg to add that in case it should seem needful I am prepared to produce the name of the foreign Minister thus assalled, the name of the London correspondent who assailed him, and the name of the paper in

which the unmerited assault was published. This, however, is probably unimportant. The essential thing is that the public sentiment of our country needs educating as to the position of its wanton attack on a man sent by his country to a delicate and difficult post abroad is as unpatriotic delicate and difficult post abroad is as unpatriotic as conveying intelligence to the enemy in the time of war, or firing into the rear of our own troops. If the Minister is himself violating the obvious proprieties and duties of his post—if, for example, he is assailing before a foreign audience a policy which his own Government has practised during three-fourths of its existence, and a majority of his countrymen approve—then he has invited censure and should have it. But if he is obeying his instructions and attending to his duties, the man who weakens him at his post on partisan or personal grounds is a public enemy. Hespectfully.

A CITIZEN WHO RESPECTS HIS COUNTRY New-York, Dec. 5, 1855.

THE MASONIC PAGE APPRECIATED.

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: It is with the utmost pleasure that the writer takes this method of expressing satisfaction for the new move in yesterday's issue of The Tribune in introducing to its readers the Masonic

Department. It cannot fall to supply a long-felt want, for the fratenity in the vicinity of New-York have been deprived of information concerning matters of interest to the craft which may be read at home and not be associated with objectionable

nome and not be associated with objectionable matter.
Under the able management of our grand libbrarian, who is so well qualified by experience, education and thorough knowledge of the wants of the fraternity, as well as his opportunities to procure and arrange subject matter for this department, this timely departure will meet with the success it deserves EDWIN A. QUICK, Historian, York Lodge, No. 197, New-York City, Yonkers, Dec. 9, 1895.

DR. NICCOLLS WILL NOT LEAVE ST. LOUIS St. Louis, Dec. 10.-The Rev. Dr. Samuel J. Niccolls, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, of this city, has declined the presidency of Lane Seminary, in Cincinnati. In his declination of the offer, nary, in Cincinnati. In his decination of the offer, Dr. Niccolls rays: "The reason for my decision is my preference for St. Louis, both as a field of labor and a place to live. I have long been identified with church work in this city and am leath to leave it."

AN IMPOSSIBLE CONSPIRACY.

From The Boston Journal.

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An organized effort on the part of Europe to resist the Mouroe Doctrine is being actively advocated in London and Madrid, which just now seem to be the chief storm centres of foreign hostility to the United States. Seventy years ago England was the unwilling partner in the game of whoiseale spoliation of the weak countries of Central and South America. Now size is the fiercest land-grabber in all Europe. She might now consent to enter a European combination against the Monroe Doctrine, but it is certain that Russia and almost certain that France and Germany would not do it. So the precious scheme is fated to fall, as it failed before.

MANY BEQUESTS SHOWING HIS KINDLY NATURE.

EMPLOYES SAID TO HAVE BEEN REMEMBERED-HIS SUCCESS IN SPITE OF BODILY AFFLIC-

A striking example of a man who for a lifetime struggled against bodily illness and affliction, bearing up nobly against sudden disaster and threatened ruin, to achieve, finally, a rich success, is to be found in the story of the life of William F. Foster, who died on December 3, at his home at Riverside Drive and One-hundred-

Mr. Foster was born near Taunton, England, on October 11, 1841, with an affliction of the muscles of the neck that prevented his keeping his head in an upright position. This trouble clung to him through life. in 1856, at the age of fifteen, he came to the United States determined to do his best to win success. For fifteen years he was steadily successful, until 1871 found him a merchant worth about \$50,000, all of which was invested in Chicago.

Then came the big fire, and when the smoke had cleared away and the damage could be ascertained, Mr. Foster found that not only had all of his fortune been swept away, but that he was also about \$30,000 in debt.

This misfortune was a hard blow, but, although the fire had eaten away his fortune, it did not destroy his ambition or pluck, and he started in business again.

In 1876 he invented a glove-fastening, and, thinking the metropolis the best place to introduce his invention, he came to New-York. The results of his labors have amply proved his business acumen, and that his choice of New-York as a basis for his business operations was a fortunate one. To-day the big glove house of Foster, Paul & Co., at No. 364 Broadway, testifies to Mr. Foster's success. The directors of this company are Thomas N. Foster, Samuel F. Paul, Livingston Gifford and Albert R. Hepner, and until his death William F. Foster was also a director of the firm. The capital stock of the

Like many other men whose constitutions are not strong, Mr. Foster, during his leisure hours, was a lover of good books; and much of his time was also spent in the study of horticulture. In order to increase his facilities for these studies he purchased during the last year the Field estate, on the Hudson, together with the adjoining Minturn property, comprising about twenty acres. This he called the Sabine Farm,

adjoining Minturn property, comprising about twenty acres. This he called the Sabine Farm, after the well-loved country home of Horace, his favorite philosopher and poet. Here he intended to erect a Roman villa, with gardens, greenhouses and a lake with cascades, but he never saw the results of the labor expended there. The work on the Sabine Farm was begun last March, and about this time the cancer developed which caused Mr. Foster's death.

That love of nature which marked Mr. Foster's whole life was also plainly apparent in his selection of a site for his city home. It is a large stone house situated on a high terrace overlooking Riverside Drive and the Hudson River. It is approached by a long and stately flight of stone sieps, which lead to the large porch at the entrance. Above this porch is a room built out from the main body of the house, from the windows of which a magnificent view of the Hudson and the Jersey shore may be obtained. The view up and down the river is almost unobstructed. In the interior the house is so arranged that a good view of the river may be had whenever possible.

Cosey window seats are placed in the large bay-windows, and everything possible has been done to insure ease, quiet and beauty. The house itself is one of the handsomest and most noticeable in the upper part of the city.

The charity and kindly thoughtfulness for others so deeply ingrained in Mr. Foster's nature are particularly noticeable in his will. It is said by those who knew him that he left a large estate, the disposition of which is interesting and peculiar. The will has not as yet been probated, and an exact copy of it could not be secured, but his consideration and charitableness have been amply shown in it. It is said that in this will Mr. Foster remembered that his employes had contributed to his success and that bequests were left to a large number of them. His relatives and friends were not forgotten, and generous allowance was made for all of them. The exact number of bequests distracted of in the will cou

them. His relatives and friends were not forgotten, and generous allowance was made for all of them. The exact number of bequests disposed of in the will could not be definitely ascertained, but it is positively known that there is a large number. Mr. Foster's counsel said yesterday that the will was interesting and peculiar, not because it was quixotic, but because it was extremely charitable, and one of cause it was extremel

other executors said that he considered it good will."
r. Foster left no children, but his wife survives him. They were married twenty years ago, and until her husband's death she was never separated from him for a single day.

WILLS FILED YESTERDAY. MRS. PARRISH'S PROPERTY DIVIDED AMONG HER CHILDREN-BEQUESTS TO RELIGIOUS

SOCIETIES. .

will of Mrs. Sarah R. Parrish was filed for probate yesterday, but no affidavit of the value of the estate was presented. All of the estate was divided into five parts, one of which was given to each of Mrs. Parrish's children, Hetty L. James C. and Samuel L. Parrish, Helen Lee and Sarah Seton. The sons are made executors of the will. Mrs. Parrish died at Southampton last September. She provides for carrying out an agreement by which her son, who occupied a cottage with her at South-ampton, should receive at her death the cottage and

ampton, should receive at her death the cottage and furniture. As Mrs. Seton has died since her mother's will was made, her share will be distributed among others.

The will of Mary E. Burke was filed in the Surrogate's office yesterday. A bequest of \$15,000 is made to Joseph C. Campbell, of Port Richmond, Staten Island, who is also the residuary legatee. Among the bequests to religious societies are \$500 to the Sisters of the Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul, \$500 to the Seton Hospital for Consumptives for a Burke bed, and \$4,000 for the Church of St. Mary of the Asymptotic.

By the will of Annie Crowe, filed for probate yesterday, the sum of \$100 for the celebration of nasses and the whole of the residuary estate is given to the Rev. John Edwards, of the Church of the Immaculate Conception. William J. Lardner receives a bequest of \$800, and he and Father Edwards are made executors.

AN EXECUTOR CHARGED WITH FRAUD. Argument was heard yesterday before Surrogate Fitzgerald on a motion to have Wilhelmina Juch removed as executor of the estate of her husband, It is alleged by Joseph B. Eckstein and other credi-

tors of the estate that Mrs. Juch has grossly misand that she has secreted the books of the estate and that she has secreted the books of the estate, refusing to produce them before the referee who is now hearing the case. It is also alleged that she has filed a false account with the Surrogate in which she makes charges for work that was never done. The account was filed in August last. It is averred that the estate is worth \$500,000, but that Mrs. Juch's accounts show a balance of only \$2,000.

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The Surrogate ordered that the hearing proceed before the referce. He said that if Mrs. Juch did not attend the matter should be reported to him, and he would take other steps.

PRILADELPHIA UNION LEAGUE ELECTION. Philadelphia, Dec. 10.-The annual meeting of the Union League last night was largely attended, and great interest was manifested in the election of of-ficers, owing to the personal canvass made by many of the friends of the various candidates for vice-president and directors. Silas W. Pettit was re-elected president without opposition, polling 749 votes. An amendment to the bylaws was adopted increasing the active membership to 1,600, an in-crease of 109.

August Belmont is confined to his home owing to

AUGUST BELMONT ILL.

a cold which he contracted while on a visit to his nursery farm in Kentucky to arrange for the mating of his mares next spring. He returned from his trp last Monday, and expects to be able to be about in a few days, as his illness is not serious.

The second annual charity concert of the Hun-

garian Association of the City of New-York was given at the Metropolitan Opera House last night. The orchestra was conducted by Anton Seidl, and the soloists were Miss Eleonora Better, soprano; August Spanuth, planist, and Achille Rivarde, violinist. The gain of the association from the concert was about \$1,500.

ENGLAND'S TACTICS.

From The St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The diplomacy of England is always characterized by tactics of delay and avoidance when she is dealing with a nation of her own size. It is only when she has a dispute with some little fellow that she becomes peremptory and intimidating.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS CAMP.

William Augustus Camp died yesterday morning at the Madison Avenue Hotel. He was born in Durham, Conn., in 1822. His father was a merchant and was for twenty-seven years the cashier of a bank in Middletown, Conn. After a common-school eduin Middletown, Conn. After a commoncation Mr. Camp engaged in the drygoods business in Middletown, and subsequently in New-York. When the Importers and Traders' Bank, at Broadway and Murray sts., was opened, he was made its discount clerk. He received the original subscriptions



for the stock of the bank. Later he was employed in the Artisans' Bank, and when that institution was closed he became assistant manager of the Clearing House of the Associated Banks. Seven years afterward, in 1864, he succeeded George D. lyman as manager of the Clearing House. continued uninterruptedly in this place until July 1, 1892, when he was retired on half-pay. While he was manager of the Clearing House its transactions amounted to \$1,010,159,000,000, or an average of \$130,-000,000 a day. During that period the cash received and paid out aggregated \$44.731,000. Mr. Camp had a leading part in perfecting the Clearing House system, and his services in floating the war loan of 1883 won much distinction for him in the financial world. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Union League Club and the New-England Society, a trustee of the American Institute, and honorary member of the Lawyers' Club and a member of St. Thomas's Church. Mr. Camp married Harriet B. Taylor, daughter of a Middletown, Conn., merchant. He is survived by his widow and a son, William S. Camp. Funeral services will be held at St. Thomas's Church Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The following bank officers, selected by himself two years ago, will act as pallbearers: E. H. Perkins, jr., president of the Importers and Traders' National Bank; J. Edward Simmons, president of the Fourth National Bank; George G. Williams, president of the Callatin National Bank; George S. Coe, ex-president of the American Exchange National Bank; William Dowd, ex-president of the National Bank; William Dowd, ex-president of the National Bank; George S. Coe, ex-president of the American Exchange National Bank; William Dowd, ex-president of the National Bank; Stuart G. Nelson, president of the Seaboard National Bank; William Sherer, manager of the Clearing House, and Richard Hamilton, vice-president of the Bowery Bank. The late Ebenezer K. Wrisht was also selected as a pallbearer by Mr. Camp. and paid out aggregated \$44,731,000. Mr. Camp had

JOHN J. WICKSTEAD.

John J. Wickstead, acting captain of Company I. 7th Regiment, during the war, and formerly a prominent manufacturer of umbrellas in Canal-st., this city, died at the home of his son, No. 10 St. James's Place, Brooklyn, on Sunday at midnight. His funeral was held last night at the house, the Rev. Dr. Scoeutzel, of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, officiating. He was a few days more than seventy-five years old, and had been feeble for a year. Mr. Wickstead was born in this city on December 6, 1820, and conducted an umbrella-making business in Canal-st. for more than twenty-five years. He joined the 7th Regiment in 1851, when Colonel Abram Duryea was its commanding officer, and at the breaking out of the war was first lieutenant of Company C. When the regiment reached Washington he was detailed as acting captain of Company I. When the regiment returned to New-York he resigned from it and resumed his business, which he successfully conducted until a few years ago. In 1873 he moved to Brooklyn, since which time he had led a quiet, retired life. He was a member of the 7th Regiment Veteran League. Four sons survive him. Place, Brocklyn, on Sunday at midnight. His funeral

SAMUEL G. LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.-Samuel G. Lewis, ex-controller of the Pennsylvania Railroad, died at his home in this city last night from heart failure. Although he had been ill for some time, his death was unexpected. He was sixty-eight years of age, and was a native of Pennsylvania. In 1883 he entered the accounting department of the Pennsylvania Railroad and was successively assistant auditor, auditor and controller. He resigned in 1874, after twenty-one years of service.

JOHN S. DAVIS.

Philadelphia Dec 10.-A telegram from Kane apoplexy of John S. Davis, who for twelve years had been president of the Philadelphia Petroleum and Stock Exchange. Mr. Davis in 1885 ran unsuc-cessfully as a Democratic candidate for City Treas-urer against John Bardsley, Republican.

PLEAS FOR "BAT" SHEA'S LIFE.

Albany, Dec. 10 .- Governor Morton this afternoon took under consideration an application for the commutation of the sentence of Bartholomew She to imprisonment for life. Shea is to be executed at Clinton Prison during Christmas week, unless at Clinton Prison during Christmas week, unless the Governor interferes, for the murder of Robert Ross in Troy His counsel, Assemblyman Norton, of Troy, and Galen R. Hitt, of Albany, waited upon Governor Morton this afternoon, and presented a brief favoring a commutation of the sentence. Mr. Norton said Mrs. Shea desired to have a private interview with the Governor before he announced his decision in the matter, and asked the Governor to name a time when she might see him. Governor Morton said: "I will consider the request. There is nothing to be gained by granting it."

THE WEATHER REPORT.

DANGEROUS STORMS ON THE COAST. Washington, Dec. 16.-The barometer has fallen rapidly over the central valley, the upper lake region and on the Middle and South Atlantic coasts. A storm of great energy is central mear Hatteras, and high northeasterly winds are reported from South New-England and the Middle Atlantic coast. The weather continues fair except in the South Atlantic States and northern portion of the lake region, where value are recommended. over the central valley, the upper lake region and on the lake region, where rain or snow have prevailed. It is colder in the South Atlantic States and Virginia and warmer in all other districts. A depression of moderate energy is moving southeastward from Minnesota, and is now central near Duluth. The weather will continue fair Guif Coast northward to the Ohio Valley, with warmer southerly winds. The storm central near Hatteras will move northeastward, causing dangerous gales on the New-England and Middle Atlantic coasts.

DETAILED FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. For Maine and New-Hampshire, fair Wednesday, probably followed by snow Wednesday night; increasing north-

easterly winds.

For Vermont, fair, followed by snow; easterly winds. For Massachusetts, increasing cloudiness, followed by snow in eastern portion; northeasterly winds, becoming

For Rhode Island and Connecticut, increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow; increasing easterly winds fangerous on the coast.

For Eastern New-York, generally fair in the interior, threatening on the coast; northeasterly winds, dangerous

off the coast. For Eastern Pennsylvania, New-Jersey and Delaware fair in the interior, probably snow along the coast; northeasterly winds.

For District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia, fair,
preceded by snow on the Maryland and Virginia coasts,
cold northerly winds, followed by warmer Wednesday

night.

For Western New-York, Western Pennsylvania and Ohlo,
Fair, except on the lakes, light snow or rain; southerly
winds and warmer, TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

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ne Office, Dec. 11, 1 a. m.-The weather yesterday

was cloudy and cold. The temperature ranged between 23 and 31 degrees, the average (27% degrees) being 2% degrees lower than that of Monday and D's degrees lower than that of the corresponding day of lest year.

The weather to-day will probably be cloudy and threatening, with northeasterly winds.

CLEVELAND MAY BE TOO BUSY.

"We may fight Great Britain," says a Chicago newspaper. It might have added: "Not if ducks are thick and the fish bite." In that case the President of the United States will have no time for such folly.

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MARRIED.

LADD-STEVENS.-December 9, 1895, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Henry A. Stimson, D. D., Frances Virginia, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George T. Stevens, to George Trumbuil Ladd, of New-Haven, Conn. MILLS-WILCOX. In Port Chester, N. Y., on Tuesday,
December 10, 1895, by the Rev. James H. Rankin, pastor
of the Presbyerian Church, John Fraser Mills, fr., to
Lillian Lyon Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah
North Wilcox, of Port Chester, N. Y.

Notices of marriages and deaths must be in-

BALL-At Jersey City, on December 9, Mary, wife of Thomas W. Bail, in her 82d year. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services on Wednesday afternoon, December 11, at 4 o'clock, at her late residence, 101 Wayne-st.

DOON-Suddenly, at midnight, December S. at Trinity Rectory, Buffalo, Julia Goodail, willow of John G. Doon of Savannah, Ga., and mother of Mrs. Francis Lobdell

aged 60, terment in Savannah.

m. 522 Walnut-st.
GREEN.—At his residence, corner of Edenwood-ave. and
Highbridge Road. Fordham Heights, New-York City,
Sunday, December 8, 1855, Edward Livingston Green,
son of Phoebe Ann and the late Mark Elston Green,
in the 58th year of his age.
Funeral services at his residence on Thursday, 12th inst.,
at 4 p. m. Carriages will be in waiting on arrival of 3:06
train from Grand Central Depot.
Interment in Greenwood on Friday, 13th inst.
Please omit flowers.
MADDEN—On Tuesday morning, at the residence of her
grandfather, Colonel William Seward, St. George, Staten
Island, Marion Seward Madden, eidest child of William
B. and E. L. Madden, in the seventh year of her age.
Interment at Oakdale Cemetery, Troy.
MEAD—In Philadelphia, on the 9th inst., Jesse May

MEAD-In Philadelphia, on the 9th inst., Jessie May Mead, daughter of N. Emerson Mead, of New-York

on Monday, December 12, at 11 a. m. uneral at Stillwater Thursday, December 12, at 11 a. m. uneral at Stillwater Thursday, December 12, at 11 a. m. VAN VOORHIS-On December 9, Carrie B., wife of Will-iam W. Van Voorhis, and daughter of the late Jesse W.

George Westinghouse, jr., and Rerman R. Schened-surviving children. Puneral from her former residence, 16 State-st., Schened-tady, N. Y., at 1:30 p. m. Thursday, December 12. Washington papers please copy. WILLITS-In Brooklyn, on Monday, December 9, Ed-mund K., eldest son of Charles D. Willits. Funeral services at his late residence, 304% Clermont-ave, on Wednesday evening, December 11, at 8 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

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WEDNESDAY—At 8 a. m. (supplementary 10 a. m.) for Europe, per s. 8. St. Louis, via Southampton; at 10 a. m. for Beigium direct, per s. s. Noordiand, via Antwerp (letters must be directed "per Noordiand"); at 11 a. m. (supplementary 12:30 p. m.) for Ireland and Great Eritain (except London), per s. s. Britannic, via Queenstown detters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per Britannic").

THURSDAY—At 4 a. m. for Europe, per s. s. Augusta Victoria, via Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. P. Caland, via Amsteriam detters must be directed "per Princesia, via Giasgow detters must be directed "per Furnessia,"):

SATURDAY—At 10:30 a. m. (supplementary 12:30 p. m.) for Firance, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, and British India, per s. s. La Gascogne, via Havreitetters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per La Gascogne"): s. 10:30 a. m. (supplementary 12:30 p. m.) for Europe, per s. s. Etruria, via Queenstown (enters for France, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt and British India must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Edam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Edam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Edam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Edam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Edam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Etruria; at 11 a. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s.

(supplementary 1.30 p. m.) for Bermuda, per s. s. Offneco.

PRIDAY—At 1 p. m. for Para. Maranham and Ceara, per
s. s. Hilary (letters for other parts of Brazil must be
directed 'per Hilary'); at 2 p. m. for Porto Rico, per s. s.

South Cambria.

SATURDAY—At 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.)
for Fortune Island, Jamaica, Savanilla, etc., and Costa
Rica, via Limon, per s. s. Alene detters for other parts
of Colombia must be directed 'per Alene's); at 10:30 a.
m. for Colombia, Chiapas, Tabasco, Tuxpam and Yucatan, per s. s. Yucatan detters for other parts of Mexico
and for Cuba must be directed 'per Yucatan'); at 11
a. m. for Porto Rico, per s. s. Kitly, at 11 a. m. supplementary 11:30 s. m.) for Venezuela and Curaco,
also Savanila, via Curacao, per s. s. Venezuela
detters for other parts of Colombia must be directed 'per Venezuo'a'); at 1 p. m. for Brazil direct,
via Pernambuco, Rico de Janeiro and Santos, per s. s.
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Mails for Newfoundland by rail to Halifax, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Miquelon, by rail to Boston, and thence by steomer, close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Cuba close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Cuba close at this office daily at 7 a. m. for forwarding by steamers sailing (Mondays and Thursdays) from Port Tampa, Fla. Mails for Mexico, overland, unless specially addressed for dispatch by steamer, close at this office daily at 7 a. m.

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Mails for Australia (except West Australia), Hawaii and Fiji Islands, per 3. s. Mowera (from Vancouver), close here daily after December 7 and up to December 9 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China, Japan and Hawaii, per 3. a. City of Peking (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 12 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Hawaii, per 3. a. Australia (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 22 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Hawaii, per 3. a. Australia (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 22 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China and Japan, per 3. s. Victoria (from Tacoma), close here daily up to December 22 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China and Japan (specially addressed only, per 3. a. Empress of India (from Vancouver), close here daily up to December 52 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Australia (except those for West Australia, which are forwarded via Europe), New-Zealand, Hawaii, Fiji and Samoan Islands, per 3. a. Alameda (from San Francisco), close here daily up to January 4 at 6:30 p. m. ero on arrival at New-York of 3. s. Etructa with British mails for Australia), *Registered mail closes at 6 p. m. previous day, CHARLES W. DAYTON, Postmaster, Postoffice, New-York, N. Y., December 6, 1895.

From The Chicago Inter Ocean. .

Jersey City, Interment at convenience of family, CAMP.—On Tuesday, December 19, at the Madison Avenue Hotels William A. Camp, in the 74th year of his age. Funeral services at St. Thomas's Church, 534-st. and Stave., Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Burial at Woodlawn.

FOSTER-At Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, December 8, Frederick Pierreport, only son of William H. and Katharine D. Foster, aged 3 years 7 months. Funeral service, Wednesday, December 11, 1895, at 2 p. m., 522 Walnut-st.

rment at Greenwood. SEYMOUR.—At her summer residence, Stillwater, N. I., on Monday, December 9, Sarah A., wife of William P.

Benedlet. Functions at the residence of her brother-in-law, Siepherd Knapp, 286 Lexington-ave., on Wednesday, December 11, at 10 a.m. WeSTINGHOUSE.—On December 10, 11:35 a.m., at the Windsor Hotel, New-York, in the 56th year of her age, Emeline, widow of George Westinghouse and mother of George Westinghouse, jr., and Herman H. Westinghouse, surviving children.

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THURSDAY—At 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for Fortune Island and Haiti, per s. s. Andes; at 1 p. m. (supplementary 1.30 p. m.) for Bermuda, per s. s. Ofinecco.